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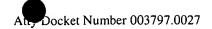
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ATTENTION: OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Sir:

Further to our Petition which was prepared and filed on March 6, 2002 with respect to the present application, we note that after further review of the Notice to File Missing Parts which was sent to us by Ms. Janice Tippett in the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE), it is apparent that the obvious reason why we never received the original Notice is that it is addressed to a Donald C. Fels in Hillsville, VA, instead of Banner & Witcoff, who is Applicants' representative of record. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is attached for the convenience of the Office of Petitions showing the address error. Therefore, in accordance with MPEP 710.06, Applicants respectfully suggest that this is yet another reason to request that the Patent Office restart the period for responding to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed on August 23, 2001.

Should the USPTO determine that an additional fee or a refund is due, please charge or credit such fees to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.



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